

Selected Demographic Information

	Blackford County	Indiana
Population (2000)	14,048	6,080,485
Land area (in square miles)	165.1	35,867
Population density (2000) (persons per square mile)	85.1	169.5
Median age (2000)	38.5	35.2
Percentage of population male/female (2000)	49.2%/50.8%	49.0%/51.0%
Population		
age ≥ 65 years (2000)	2,169 (15.4%)	752,831 (12.4%)
male	874 (6.2%)	303,797 (5.0%)
female	1295 (9.2%)	449,034 (7.4%)
age ≥ 85 years (2000)	254 (1.8%)	91,558 (1.5%)
Percentage of population below poverty level (1997)	10.0%	9.9%
Percentage of school-aged children (under age 18) below poverty level (1997)	16.3%	14.8%
Households headed by single women, no husband present (2000)	589 (10.0%)	259,372 (11.1%)
Median household income (1997)	\$35,048	\$37,909

County Website: <http://www.indico.net/counties/BLACKFORD/>

Local Health Department contact information:

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HPSAs: Whole County Designation, 2nd Degree Shortage

MUAs: none

Sources:

STATS Indiana Profiles (www.stats.indiana.edu/profiles)

U.S. Census Bureau: State and County Quick Facts (<http://www.census.gov>);
 Spanish-language tables are available online